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From a late ENGLISH PAPER.

The breath of a tyrant blaſts and poiſons every thing, changes bleſſings and plenty into curſes and miſery, great cities into gloomy ſolitudes, and their rich citizens into beggars and vagabonds. GORDON.

IF Liberty is, as it has ever been allowed to be by all enlightened men and nations, the firſt of human bleſſings, ſlavery muſt follow to be conſidered as the worſt of human evils.

Slavery muſt in its very nature debaſe the mind and heart of man, as all its operations have a ſure tendency to make them ignorant, wretched, worthleſs and wicked.

Science can never flouriſh where ignorance muſt be deemed neceſſary to inſure blind obedience, and a tame ſubmiſſion to the moſt wanton violations of every law and right of nature. If men are ſuffered to acquire knowledge and to exerciſe reaſon, they will naturally employ both to their individual and common good: and as their ſo doing would prove the ſure bane of tyranny, be it of what kind ſoever, ſo, of courſe, every ſpecies of tyrants will conſider it to be a fundamental principle of ſtate policy, either effectually to curb and ſmother all the noble faculties of the mind, or elſe to give them ſuch a bias as will beſt anſwer their own ends. Hence the papal ſupremacy and all its powers of impoſition became eſtabliſhed on the ignorance of the laity; and the pretended enlightning of the world with divine knowledge, was made deſtructive of all ſcience and true wiſdom, by depreciating human reaſon, and effectually hoodwinking the nobleſt faculties of the mind. So, likewiſe, the blind faith and obedience of Mahomedans were ſecured by an inſpired contempt for human learning, as unneceſſary for ſecuring and enjoying what they were made to believe the only valuable bleſſing of this life, and rewards of a future one, namely groſs ſenſualities. In which debaſements and abuſes of human reaſon, the impoſtures of both thoſe religions, and the wickedneſs of their policy, are alike clearly made evident. They diſgraced human reaſon, in order to eſtabliſh impoſition: and when, by riveting blind faith, they had effectually enſlaved the mind, the enſlaving the perſon became a natural and ſure conſequence.

But with the very dawn of reformation in the Chriſtian church, which could only take place from the exerciſe of reaſon, the ſhackles on the mind began to looſen apace; and the ſcope which that faculty obtained in religious matters was ſoon extended to ſecular, ſo that government and faith became conſidered as fit ſubjects for diſcuſſion. When reaſon was thus unfettered, ſhe introduced ſtruggles for civil as well as religious liberty in many countries of Europe. The event was, however, various, as the paſſion of freedom, or craft of ſtate policy, happened to prevail. In many of the Southern countries, a new engine of religious and civil tyranny, invented by a ſainted villain, became introduced by the policy of the court of *Rome*. This was the inquiſition, calculated to terrify mankind by tortures and butcheries from a free exerciſe of their reaſon; while in others flames and gibbets, preſcribed by laws, and moſt furious rancour, inſpired by prieſts, were made, for a while, the combatants of reaſon with but too much ſucceſs; till *England*, *Scotland*, *Sweden*, *Denmark*, with ſome of the *German* and other ſtates, eſtabliſhed religious, and many of them civil reformation, nay even *France* and ſome other unreformed countries became awed into moderation.

But governments, unwilling to relax in their civil deſpotiſm, then deviſed a new way of ſecuring the poſſeſſion of it; the chief of which were, the eſtabliſhing of ſtanding armies, the decrying of public ſpirit, and the idolizing of ſovereignty, the introduction of rarities, luxuries, and their concomitant corruption; which ſeverally now prevail, more or leſs, in all countries, and in proportion as they prevail, are miſchievous, in upholding or extending, ſome ſpecies of tyranny or abuſe in every one of them.

Perfection, we well know, is not to be expected in any thing which is human, and perhaps leaſt of all in ſtate policy, in the exerciſe of which great numbers are generally influenced by their own partial intereſts. It is, however, the interfering of temporary individual intereſt that is chiefly miſchievous therein; for the ſovereign and people have but one real intereſt, which is a common and laſting one, that of the glory, power, proſperity and felicity of the ſtate; all of which are immediately impaired, and muſt become deſtroyed by tyranny: therefore it can never be for the intereſt of a prince to invade the liberties, or even to have at his mere will the properties of his people, becauſe the power in either caſe, however good his own intentions may be, he cannot anſwer for his not being impoſed upon to abuſe; and ſhould he ſucceſsfully make his ſubjects ſlaves, he therein would debaſe them, and from that moment make them worthleſs; or by making them beggars, he would be ſure to make them deſperate: in the former of which caſes he would leſſen his own importance among princes, and in the latter diminiſh his perſonal ſecurity at home. There may poſſibly be men to whom the power of creating fear may be pleaſing; but ſurely there are none that can delight in being hated: and it is hardly poſſible for a man to be deprived of his liberty, and not hate the party by whom he became deprived of it: or indeed by whom it is with-held from him, if he is endued with reaſon ſufficient to enable him to make a right eſtimate of his loſs.

Tyranny, like fire, after having deſtroyed every thing that is conſumable, and by which it exiſted, muſt then expire of itſelf. Its qualities are ſuch as to be very deſtructive; ſo that like the Phœnix it conſumes in the fired bed which it makes, and without the fabulous conſequence of riſing to new life. All the antient ſtates of *Greece*, as of *Rome* and elſewhere, emerged from a ſtate of ſlavery to liberty, proſperity and glory; and then ſunk with the loſs of freedom, to gradual annihilation. Survey the ſeats of antient power, and you behold them now deſolate; almoſt all as much ſo as that of *Carthage*, or the country of the *Chozary*, mentioned by the author from whom I have taken my motto; which, from a vaſt empire, became, within the ſpace of four hundred years, an uninhabited deſert, in which there are the ruins of one city that contained eight hundred churches, but left within that ſpace of time without a ſingle inhabitant: and as the fineſt countries of remote ages remain without ſources of population from the baneful effects of tyranny, ſo, without a ſufficient guard againſt that deſtructive evil, muſt it fare with thoſe which at preſent are moſt flouriſhing, till riſing *America* ſhall have her turn in the ſame fatal carreer, and leave the colonies ſhe may have planted during her proſperity in the now deſolated and deſolating countries of *Aſia*, *Africa*, and *Europe*, for them to begin the ſame courſe a-new; and ſo will empire be likely to continue forever, emigrating through all the quarters of the globe.

But if the very foundations of proſperity, power, and even exiſtence in ſtates, are liberty and virtue, which indubitably they muſt be; how greatly does it behove all princes, as well as people, to preſerve and cheriſh thoſe bleſſings by which only their proſperities can flouriſh, or even laſt, nay themſelves be great or happy. There is indeed a natural courſe of things; but then the regulation of them muſt be in ourſelves, as all effects ſpring from cauſes, and the latter are in our own power: ſo that we ourſelves muſt ſow the ſeeds of future happineſs or miſery, proſperity or ruin.

It is not in the nature of great ſtates to remain fixed in any condition. All examples ſhew, that from humble beginnings, with a well poiſed conſtitution, which alone can be animating, their progreſs will be to high power and proſperity, where they will balance for a while, till the vices which are conſequent of great affluence get the better of public virtue, and liberty become loſt; when they will inſtantly decline, and precipitate, in their fall, through all miſery to ruin.

Whether, as a nation, we have paſſed the pinnacle of our greatneſs, it muſt remain with others to determine: but if we have, it may with great reaſon be ſaid, that the cauſe thereof lies entirely in ourſelves, as it can be owing to nothing but a decay in the ſpirit of our national conſtitution: by the vigour of which we roſe, and by a decline of it we ſhall fall, whenever involved in that greateſt of all misfortunes. In the youth of bodies politic, as well as of natural ones, there is great ſtrength and power; but in age there comes a ſure debility in both; with this difference, however, that in one it is the effect of years, but in the other it is that of vice, which latter is the diſeaſe of which great communities only can expire.

In fine, all our bleſſings have been derived from the animating ſpirit of liberty, and no other yet ever made a people permanently great; therefore while poſſeſſed of that in its purity, we ſhall continue to increaſe in proſperity and power; but whenever it is loſt, we ſhall become worthleſs and wretched, and from being debilitated and debaſed, ſink into ruin and annihilation.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

By Captain PHILIP DURELL, *Commander of his Majeſty's Frigate the* CYGNET.

THE Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty, having been pleaſed to ſignify their Pleaſure, That his Majeſty's Frigate *Cygnet* ſhould be ſold in *South-Carolina*, with her Maſts, Yards, Rigging, Sails, Cables, Anchors, Boats, and all her Tackle and Furniture; this is therefore to give Notice thereof.

Inventories of her ſeveral Stores, may be ſeen at Mr. *Wells*'s Shop, as alſo on board her at *Hobcaw*; and in the mean Time, and until a Day of Sale is named, any Perſons chooſing to become Purchaſers of her Hull and Furniture, may ſee and examine her, at Mr. JOHN ROSE's Wharf, at *Hobcaw*, where a proper Officer will attend ſuch Perſons, to ſhow them the Ship, and her ſeveral Stores, by applying to me, or the Commanding Officer on board.

Given under my Hand, on board his Majeſty's ſaid Frigate, at Hobcaw, *this 28th of June*, 1768.

PHILIP DURELL.

WHEREAS the Commiſſioners of the Streets have lately received frequent Informations, that many People have rode on Horſeback, and drove Carriages faſter than a moderate Trot or Pace, through the Streets of Charles-Town, contrary to Law, whereby People on Foot might have been in Danger of being run over, or hurt; the ſaid Commiſſioners HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, that they have ordered and ſtrictly enjoined their Scavenger, Mr. BENJAMIN GODFREY, to keep a ſtrict Look-out, in order to prevent the like in future, if poſſible, and to make immediate Information againſt every Offender; and they may be aſſured, that none will be excuſed from Payment of the Fine, or Puniſhment, according to Law. Perſons who drive Carts or Drays for Hire, that have neglected to take out Licences ſince Whitmonday laſt, are required immediately to apply to Mr. ELISHA POINSETT for them, otherwiſe Warrants will be iſſued for the Fines.

WANTED, a Canoe, about twenty-ſix Feet long, and about four and an half or five Feet wide. Enquire of the Printer.

Charles-Town, June 29, 1768.

WANTED immediately, BY the Commiſſioners of FORTIFICATIONS, Twenty able NEGRO Fellows on Hire. Any Perſons willing to furniſh them, may apply to

ELISHA POINSETT, Clerk.

Public Notice is hereby given,

THAT the TREASURER's-OFFICE was removed on Wedneſday the firſt Day of JUNE laſt, to the Houſe of the Subſcriber in Old Church-Street.

HENRY PERONNEAU, *Aſſiſtant-Treaſurer.*

☞ For the Convenience of Gentlemen in Trade, and others, the Office will be kept open, during the Summer Months, from 7 to 12 o'Clock in the Forenoon, for the Diſpatch of Buſineſs.

JOHN BENFIELD,

At his Store in Tradd-Street, *lately occupied by* BENFIELD & JONES, *has for Sale, on the moſt reaſonable Terms;*

SHIP BREAD——Muſcovado Sugar——old Jamaica and Windward Iſland Rum——Northward Rum——beſt old Batavia Arrack——Taunton Ale, and ſundry other Liquors, all of which are of the very beſt Quality.

☞ He begs Leave to inform the Public, that he has entered into the BROKERAGE BUSINESS, which he propoſes following in all its Branches, particularly that of INSURANCE, and being determined to pay the utmoſt Attention to any Orders he may receive, hopes to meet with Encouragement.

TO BE SOLD at public vendue, on Monday the 11th day of July inſtant, at the houſe on the Bay where Dr. John De Lahowe *now lives;*

ONE valuable negro wench, who is a good plain cook, has a male child about 18 months old, one handy laborious negro girl, one boy uſed to attend horſes, and another ditto, uſed to wait in the houſe; all of them are remarkably faithful.——Alſo a horſe and ſingle Windſor chair, with ſome houſhold and kitchen furniture; the whole the property of the ſaid *De Laheuve*. Credit will be given for the negroes, till the firſt day of February, 1769, paying intereſt, and giving approved ſecurity, the remainder to be CASH.

SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, jun. & Co.

N. B. The property not to be altered, till the conditions are complied with.

WHEREAS little or no regard hath been paid to our former advertiſements, we now give this further and laſt notice, that all bonds, notes, and book accompts, due to ROBERT HUME, Eſq; deceaſed, that are not paid by the fifteenth day of September next, will be lodged with an attorney, to be recovered by law.

June 29, 1768. WILLIAM PARKER, BENJAMIN SMITH, ROBERT QUASH, junior.

THE Subſcriber begs Leave to acquaint the Public, that he has opened a SCHOOL, a few Doors beyond the Beef-Market, oppoſite to the Houſe of the Hon. Daniel Blake, Eſq; in Meeting-ſtreet, in a Room of Mr. Pedriſau, Saddler, where he will undertake to inſtruct young Ladies and Gentlemen, both Reading, Writing, and Accompts, and the Engliſh Grammar, if required; and hopes to render general Satisfaction to all ſuch as will be pleaſed to confer the favour upon him. And will likewiſe write or keep Accompts for any one that will chuſe to favour him with their Buſineſs, from the Hours of Five in the Evening till Nine. ABNER McKAY.

TO BE SOLD by public outcry, at the vendue houſe in Charles-Town, on Tueſday the 26th July inſtant, preciſely at twelve o'clock;

A VALUABLE negro woman, who is an excellent ſpinſter, and can cook and waſh well, with her two children, belonging to the eſtate of Joſeph Vanderhorſt, deceaſed. JAMES MYLNE, Adminiſtrator.

THE Co-partnerſhip of HAWES & FLAGG being now expired, they give this public Notice, that their Books are now in the Hands of Mr. Thomas Todd, in order to be ſettled, and Thomas Dupee is appointed to collect the Accounts, and give Diſcharges for the ſame; and as there is an abſolute Neceſſity for ſettling their Affairs, they therefore hope all Perſons concerned will not be backward in ſettling.

MR. CHRISTOPHER PETER, at Penpon, informs me, that he has in his poſſeſſion, a bay pacing mare, about 13 hands high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder with a fleur de luce joined to the middle of the E all in one, or ſomething like it. Whoever owns the ſaid ſtray, X, muſt prove their property in ſix months.

June 24, 1768. JAMES DONNOM.

The BULLFINCH and SPARROW.
A FABLE.
By the KING *of* PRUSSIA.

OF Greatneſs, and its pompous train,
What notions falſe we entertain!
The glitt'ring dreſs, the ſplendid feaſt,
Thoſe ſeeking moſt who know them leaſt;
Our time, anxiety, and coſt,
In the vain acquiſition loſt.
Its joys and griefs to every ſtate
Adapted by the will of *Fate*,
The man we envy oft, as bleſt,
In ſecret pines, with cares oppreſt.
Of this, tho' trite, juſt obſervation,
My Fable is an illuſtration.
As on the rake one winter's day,
A town-bred Sparrow wing'd his way,
Poſſeſs'd of each engaging art
To win the feather'd fair-one's heart,
To all his rivals ſtill prefer'd;
The fav'rite of each female bird;
He lighted near an ancient ſeat,
Whoſe turrets mark the Squire's retreat;
The manſion, where reſides his Honour,
The Lord and Guardian of the Manor;
Or, the Right Worſhipful the Mayor,
Whoſe Corporation's all his care.
Here, hopping round from tree to tree,
Curious, no doubt, to hear and ſee,
A Bullfinch, from a window high,
Attracted the young rover's eye.
Struck with the warbler's guilded cage,
He glow'd with envy, grief and rage,
'How partial,' he exclaimed, 'is fate,
'See how that Bullfinch lives in ſtate,
'The happieſt of the feather'd race:
'How diff'rent the poor Sparrow's caſe!
'There, ſhelter'd from the winds and rain,
'He chaunts at eaſe his warbling ſtrain.
'Here I ſit, ſhiv'ring in the ſhower,
'Expos'd through each inclement hour
'To nipping froſts, or melting ſnows;
'Ills that no pamper'd Bullfinch knows!
'He cheriſh'd at the ſumptuous board,
'Is lodg'd and feaſted like a Lord;
'Fondled, and by his maſter fed,
'With ſweeteſt cakes and whiteſt bread;
'While after me the village runs,
'With pelting ſtones, and popping guns.
'Forc'd by ſuch barb'rous ſport to fly,
'A miſerable wand'rer I,
'In the more hoſpitable wood
'Pick up and down, precarious food.
'Hard lot! alas! how diff'rent mine,
'Compar'd thrice happy bird! with thine.
'Why, cruel fate! live I to rue
'I was not hatch'd a Bullfinch too.'
The Finch, in quite a well-bread way,
Heard what our Sparrow had to ſay;
And underſtood him, though at diſtance,
Without th' interpreter's aſſiſtance.
Indeed a bird, not quite a fool,
Brought up in ſo polite a ſchool,
Could not be thought in want of learning;
A word's enough to the diſcerning.
Not comprehend the vulgar folk!
Poh, comprehend! 'tis all a joke.
Smiling to find the aukward blunder
The fooliſh fellow labour'd under;
He, therefore, pluming up his creſt,
The envious grumbler thus addreſs'd:
'Sure, friend, (ſays he) you're touch'd in brain,
'To talk in this miſtaken ſtrain:
'Tis true there's ſomething of a ſmattering
'Of wit, in what you have been chattering:
'But, chirp as ſprightly as you will,
'Truſt me, you reaſon very ill;
'And to be ſerious for a while,
'In truth, your envy makes me ſmile;
'What is there in this fine gilt cage
'So much your fancy ſhould engage?
'Theſe wires my priſon bars, where I,
'A ſplendid ſlave, muſt live and die!
'Go hence, Content, and learn of me,
'How vain the finery you ſee.
'Forbear my joys true bliſs to call;
'Thy LIBERTY is worth them all.'

BOSTON, MAY 23.

Laſt Friday arrived here Captain Calef from London, in whom came paſſengers Commodore Loring, and the Rev. Mr. Samſon Occom, an Indian teacher, who lately went from hence for England with the Rev. Mr. Whitaker, to ſolicit contributions from charitably diſpoſed perſons there, to ſupport the Indian ſchool at Lebanon, and for propagating the Goſpel among the American heathens; and it is ſaid, have ſo far ſucceeded as to collect about £.11,000 ſterling, which is depoſited in the hands of truſtees, to be appropriated to that pious uſe.

NEWPORT, (Rhode-Iſland) MAY 23.

By Captain Stanton, who arrived laſt week from Monte Chriſti, we learn, that trade is very dull there at preſent.

MAY 30. We are well informed, that one married Lady and her Daughter, of about 16, have ſpun full Sixty Yards of good fine Linen Cloth, nearly a Yard wide, ſince the firſt of March, beſides taking Care of a large Family.

The Linen Manufacture is promoted, and carried on with ſo much Spirit and Aſſiduity, among the Ladies of all Ranks, that, we are aſſured, there is ſcarcely Flax enough to be had in this Town to ſupply the continual Conſumption of that Article.

Some of the Sea or Pit-Coal lately diſcovered in Providence, has been exhibited in this Town, and appears to be as good as any imported from other parts; and which, it is thought, will be of great advantage to this Colony.

SAVANNAH, (in Georgia) JUNE 22.

From Auguſta we have advice, that one Fraſer a trader, and another white man travelling to Mobille, were ſome time ago killed and ſcalped by Northward Indians in the Cherokee nation. Another trader of the name of Pace was alſo mortally wounded by theſe ſavages.

Several gentlemen, with ſome Indian headmen, are now employed in running the boundary line between this province and the Creek nation.

JUNE 29. The Rev. Mr. Whitefield having failed in obtaining a charter from the Crown for converting the Orphan-houſe in this province into a College, upon the plan he had laid down, intends to add a public Academy thereto, for the maintenance and education of poor indigent orphans as well as more opulent ſtudents; and we hear is ſoon to ſend out a proper perſon as Preſident for the ſame. Mr. Langworthy and Mr. Crane came paſſengers with Capt. Rainier, who arrived on Tueſday laſt from London, the former as a Tutor and the latter as a Manager at the Orphan-houſe. A pamphlet has lately been publiſhed, intituled, "A Letter "to his Excellency Governor Wright, giving an Account "of the Steps taken relative to the converting the Georgia "Orphan-houſe into a College: Together with the literary "Correſpondence that paſſed upon that ſubject between his "Grace the Archbiſhop of Canterbury and the Rev. Mr. "Whitefield. To which alſo is annexed the Plan and "Elevation of the preſent and intended Buildings and "Orphan-houſe Lands adjacent. By George Whitefield, "A. M. late of Pembroke College, Oxford, and Chaplain "to the Counteſs of Huntingdon. *Provide Things honeſt "in the Sight of all Men.* Rom. xii. 14."

Tueſday the 21ſt inſtant put into Tybee, the ſloop Speedwell, John Hannah, maſter, from Montego Bay in Jamaica, bound to Newbern in North-Carolina, for which place ſhe ſailed again on Saturday.

Same day alſo arrived there, the brig Venus, Forſter, maſter, from the Weſt-Indies, with ſlaves.

And on Thurſday put in, the brig Hope, Capt. Livingſton, and the ſnow Friendſhip, having been blown off St. Auguſtine; they belong to a fleet of eight veſſels, having on board about 1500 Greeks, Italians and Mahoneſe, all in good health, brought over by Dr. Turnbull in order to ſettle in Eaſt-Florida. Two brigantines we hear got into St. Auguſtine; and the veſſel on board of which Dr. Turnbull was bore away for Charles-Town, but was not arrived there on Sunday laſt. They came laſt from Gibraltar.

CHARLES-TOWN, JULY 5.

LAST Friday arrived here from Penſacola, the Sloop Harlequin Pilot-Boat, of New-York, Capt. Powell; in whom came Paſſenger Lieutenant Thomas, of the Royal Train of Artillery; and ſhe will ſail this Day for New-York.

The ſame Day Capt. Swaine arrived here in a Pilot-Boat from Cape-Fear, who informs us, That a few Days before he ſailed, the Sloop ——, Robert Binney, Maſter, homeward bound to Rhode-Iſland, as ſhe was coming down the River, took Fire by ſome unknown Accident, and was entirely conſumed, together with her Cargo.

Capt. Joſeph Durfee, in the Sloop Charles-Town, arrived here on Saturday laſt from Rhode-Iſland, after a tedious Paſſage of Twenty-eight Days, having met with a Series of contrary Winds all the Paſſage.

Sunday laſt his Majeſty's Sloop Bonetta, James Wallace, Eſq; Commander, ſailed for Halifax.

The ſame Day Henry Laurens, Eſq; returned to Town from Georgia.

This Day the Sloop Sally, Captain Schermerhorn, ſails for New-York, in whom goes Meſſrs. John Chapman, and John Corrie, of this Town, Merchants; Mr. Mill, of George-Town, Merchant; Lieutenant Handyſide, Meſſrs. Arthur Stewart, James Miles, Daniel Bourdeaux, and ſundry other Paſſengers.

The Sloop Sally, Capt. Keais, is ſafe arrived at Rhode-Iſland, from this Port.

The Reports of Mr. Gregg's being appointed Collector of the Cuſtoms here, wants Confirmation.

"The Chickeſaw Indians have refuſed all the Offers of Peace made them by the Creeks, who are likely to have no better Succeſs with the Choctaws."

The Price of Rice the ſame as in our laſt, and the Quantity exported to Yeſterday is 110,102 Barrels.

MARRIED.] Mr. James M'Kenzie, to Mrs. Ann Imer, Relict of the Reverend Mr. Abraham Imer.

Arrivals from this Port. The Succeſs, M'Calpin, (laſt from St. Euſtatia) at Rhode-Iſland.—The Polly, Dean, at St. Euſtatia.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, ENTRIES INWARD.

June 29th.	Schooner Rake's Delight,	B. Minors,	*From* New-Providence
July 2d.	Schooner Wm. & Rebecca,	A. Swaine,	Cape-Fear
3d.	Schooner Polly,	Richard Churchill,	Georgia
4th.	Sloop Charles-Town,	Joſeph Durfee,	Rhode-Iſland
	Schooner Wambaw,	William Brown,	Georgia
	Schooner Young Joſeph,	Evans Stokes,	St. Euſtatia

ENTRIES OUTWARD,

June 27th.	Sloop Benjamin,	Nathaniel Dickinſon,	*For* Barbados
28th.	Sloop Little-Anthony,	Thomas Forbes,	St. Kitts
30th.	Sloop Little-Betſey,	D. Newton,	New-Providence
	Brig Molly,	Archibald Brown,	Liverpool

CLEARED FOR DEPARTURE.

June 28th.	Sloop Polly,	John Conyers,	*For* Sal Tortugas
29th.	Sloop Sukey & Nancy,	Joſiah Dickinſon,	Bermuda
30th.	Sloop Diana,	George Chaplin,	Ditto
	Schooner Vulcan,	Stephen Tucker,	Turk's-Iſland
July 2d.	Ship Diamond,	Edward Phillipſon,	London
	Sloop Sally,	John Schermerhorn,	New-York
	Ship Barbados Packet,	Henry Caſtle,	Barbados

New Advertiſements.

THE Remainder of the LAW BOOKS, that were not SOLD at Auction, on Tueſday the 21ſt ult. are now to be ſold at private Sale, by

CHARLES CROUCH.

Juſt imported in the Sloop Charles-Town, Joſeph Durfee, *Maſter, from* RHODE-ISLAND, *and to be SOLD by*

NATHANIEL RUSSELL,

At his STORE on Colonel Beale's *Wharf;*

NORTHWARD RUM—SPERMACETI CANDLES—SOAP—LOAF SUGAR—SPERMACETI OIL for Lamps—RIDING CHAIRS—CHOCOLATE—CHEESE, &c.

For RHODE-ISLAND,
The Sloop CHARLES-TOWN,
JOSEPH DURFEE, Maſter.
(Will ſail the 10th Inſtant)
FOR Freight or Paſſage, apply to the ſaid Maſter, or
NATHANIEL RUSSELL.

July 4, 1768.

FOUR very good MAPLE DESKS, to be ſold, by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-Street.

THIS is to acquaint the PUBLIC, that the ſubſcriber has removed to the houſe lately poſſeſſed by Mr. James M'Clennachan, in Broad-ſtreet, the corner of King-ſtreet, which formerly went by the Name of Brand's ſtables, near the State-Houſe, where there is conveniency for 100 head of horſes; he has alſo two convenient paſtures, and will take in horſes to paſture by the month, and ſtable by the year, from any gentlemen in town or country, who pleaſe to favour him with their cuſtom. He likewiſe keeps good entertainment for gentlemen and others, and has a yard capable of containing ten or eleven waggons, with a large chair-houſe, which contain eight or nine chairs. Any gentlemen pleaſing to favour him with their cuſtom, may depend that he will do the utmoſt in his power to give them ſatisfaction.

JAMES RIDDLE.

ALL Perſons indebted to the eſtate of ALEXANDER PETRIE, deceaſed, have this public NOTICE, that every debt, whether bond, note, or account, due to the ſaid eſtate, that ſhall not be paid, or ſettled by bond, with good ſecurity, by the firſt day of September next, will then be put into the hands of an attorney to be ſued for without diſtinction. And thoſe who have demands againſt the ſaid eſtate, are deſired to make them known before that day.

ROBERT BRISBANE,
ROBERT PHILP,
JAMES LAURENS, } Executors.

Several convenient lots of land in Orange-ſtreet, belonging to this eſtate, are to be diſpoſed off reaſonably.

TO BE SOLD by the Subſcriber,

A FOUR Wheel'd Chaiſe or Phæton, made in Philadelphia, with Harneſs compleat for two Horſes. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may apply to Mr. Benjamin Hawes, behind the Old Church, or to

THOMAS SHUTE.

☞ Alſo a few Caſks of good SHIP BREAD, and a parcel of LIGHTWOOD POSTS.

WHEREAS the ſubſcriber has adminiſtered on the eſtate and effects of JOSEPH ELLICOTT, of St. George's pariſh, deceaſed, (ſo far as was left unadminiſtered on by Richard Downes, jun. deceaſed, late adminiſtrator) and being very deſirous of cloſing the concerns as ſoon as poſſible, he gives this public NOTICE, to all perſons indebted to the ſaid Joſeph Ellicott, or to his eſtate, to diſcharge the ſame to me before the firſt of September next, or blame themſelves for the trouble and expence; but for the conveniency of ſuch perſons who bought goods, &c. at vendue, from the late adminiſtrator, and have not paid for them, Mr. Maurice Jones, at Bacon's Bridge, is empowered to receive payment, and give a full diſcharge within the time above limited. All perſons to whom the ſaid Joſeph Ellicott was indebted, are requeſted to ſend their accounts atteſted, or make known their demands by that day, to me in Charles-Town.

EVAN JONES.

RUN-AWAY on the 14th of June laſt, from the ſubſcriber's ſchooner, lying at Mr. Roper's wharf, a negro fellow named SIMON, a very likely ſenſible fellow, about 30 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches high, of a yelloviſh complexion; had on when he went away a white negro cloth jacket, breeches and cap, and a ſtriped under jacket, or robin. Whoever takes up the ſaid fellow, and delivers him to me at Gooſe-Creek, to John Calvert, or the warden of the work-houſe, in Charles-Town, ſhall receive Ten Pounds reward, and reaſonable charges, from

WILLIAM WITHERS.

N.B. The ſaid fellow has ſeveral relations at Mr. Thomas Mellichamp's, over Aſhley-ferry, where he may probably be harboured by the ſaid Mr. Mellichamp's negroes.

TO BE LET,

A Good CHAIR-HOUSE and STABLE.—Enquire of the Printer.

TAKEN up by Mr. Cornelius Dupont, near Purryſburgh, a dun mare, about 13 hands high, branded on the off buttock TL, ſhe has a bay yearling colt with her unbranded.

Another bay mare, about thirteen hands and an half high, her tail hath been very ſhort docked, no brand to be ſeen on her. The owner may prove his property before me,

June 20, 1768. JOHN L. BOURQUIN, J. P.

A DARK roan horſe, thirteen hands and an half high, branded ID on the mounting ſhoulder, and *M* on the off ſhoulder, in the care of Mr. Joſeph Winningham.

A bay horſe, 13 hands high, branded with ſomething reſembling 4*I* S, a ſnip in his face, two white feet.

Another bay horſe, thirteen hands and an half high, branded on the off ſhoulder, but ſcarcely perceivable.

Alſo a flee bitten gray horſe, about 14 hands high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder S and on the buttock ſomething like HP in one, in the care of Mr. Thomas Cooper.

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The owners of the above ſtrays, muſt prove their property before

JOHN PAMOR.

RAN-AWAY ſometime in October laſt, from my plantation in Prince William's pariſh, a negro man ſlave named CAPTAIN, who formerly belonged to Mrs. Johnſton, at Godfrey's Savannah.

And on Saturday the 25th day of June, ran-away from Stono, a negro man named WANDOW, late the property of Thomas Smith, Eſquire. Whoever delivers either of the above Run-aways to me at Stono, ſhall receive FIVE POUNDS currency for each, from

ISAAC McPHERSON.

LEASES and Releaſes, Blank Bonds, Bonds with Warrants to confeſs Judgment, Mortgages, Copies of Writs, Bills of Sale, Powers of Attorney, Servants and Apprentices Indentures, Bills of Lading, Indico Certificates of both Kinds, Shipping Papers, Warrants and Executions for ſmall Debts, Recognizance for the Peace, Writs of Fieri Facias, in Actions of Debt, and on the Caſe, Capias in Debt, ditto in Caſe, and ſundry other Blanks, to be ſold by Charles Crouch, at his Printing-Office in Elliott-ſtreet.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

Pursuant to a decree of the Honourable the Court of Chancery in this province, will be sold by the subscriber, on Monday the first day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the plantation of the late THOMAS DRAYTON, *Esq; deceased, on the* Indian Land, *called* Oakhampton, *upon the terms and conditions to be then and there declared*;

ALL the horses, hogs, sheep, and oxen, belonging to that estate, together with the present crop on the land, consisting of upwards of 200 acres of rice and 70 of corn, in good order, also 4 or 500 bushels of corn, the plantation tools, &c.

And on Monday the eighth day of August next, at Mr. Nightingale's, *near Charles-Town,*

SEVERAL articles of plate, &c. and about forty NEGROES, among whom are some good sawyers, cattle hunters, and one of the best negro gardener's in the province.—A tract of land called LITTLEBURY, near the Lieutenant Governor's on Ashley-River, containing about 272 acres, and 485 acres of land near Red-Bank, on Edisto-River.

Also a pew, No. 50, in St. Michael's church, being the residuary real and personal estate of the said deceased.

WILLIAM BURROWS, *Master in Chancery.*

Charles-Town, July 1, 1768.

TO BE SOLD at public vendue, at the usual place in Charles-Town, on Tuesday the 26th Instant;

A TRACT of 500 acres of land on Edisto-river, about 50 miles from Charles-Town, belonging to the estate of EDWARD GRAHAM, deceased, bounded to the North on the said river, to the East and South on vacant land, and to the West on Mr. Robert Cochran's land; a plat of which may be seen in the hands of Mr. Edward Oats in Charles-Town.

THOMAS NIGHTINGALE, Administrator.

Advertisements.

RUN-AWAY from my plantation in Christ Church parish, on the 25th of May last, seven NEGRO MEN, viz. DANIEL, MARK, PRIMUS, WINTER, and JACOB, country born, and QUAW and AMOS bought new negroes.

Whoever takes up and delivers any of the said Negroes at the said plantation, or to the Warden of the Work-house, shall have TWO DOLLARS reward for each. Also,

Run-away in April last, a negro man named NED, a boatman, artful and plausible, formerly the property of Mr. Henry Grey.

Whoever takes him up, and delivers him as above, shall have TEN POUNDS reward, and FIFTY POUNDS for information of his being harboured by a white person, or TWENTY FIVE POUNDS if by a negro, to be paid on conviction. ISAAC HUGER.

THE Co-Partnership of NOWELL and LORD being expired, and their Goods sold off, they take this Opportunity of requesting their Customers to pay, or settle their Accounts, as soon as convenient. Such of their Friends, whose Accounts have been long due, and have neglected to pay or settle, need not expect the least Indulgence, their Accounts will be put in suit as soon as they can be wrote out.

N. B. ANDREW LORD continues in the DRY GOODS BUSINESS, and will be glad of a farther Continuation of NOWELL & LORD's former good Customers.

WHEREAS by an Act of Assembly lately passed, Commissioners are appointed to cause a Channel or Canal to be cut from the West End of Broad-street, in a direct Line to low Water Mark, on Ashley River, twenty-five Feet wide, and of a sufficient Breadth, at the End next to Broad-street, to receive two Schooners, and of Depth sufficient for the passing of Vessels, not drawing more than six Feet Water; and to cause good and substantial Banks or Causeys to be raised on both Sides thereof. Therefore any Person or Persons willing to undertake the Work, agreeable to the Terms of the said Act; and also to procure the said Canal to be piled in on both Sides with Palmetto Posts, are desired to give in ther Proposals for the same forthwith to the Subscriber, as the Commissioners are desirous the Work should be begun as soon as may be.

WILLIAM SAVAGE, one of the Commissioners.

N. B. Any Person who may object to the Piling, may give in their Proposals for the said Work, exclusive of the Piling.

TO BE SOLD,

A Tract of 50 Acres of Land, at Boheket Creek, on Wadmelaw Island, near the HAWL-OVER, known by the Name of NORTON's POINT; it is very handy for a Ship-Carpenter or Boat Builder, and has a good Orchard of Fruit and Orange Trees. Whoever inclines to purchase the same, may know the Terms by applying to Mr. JAMES MILLS, Baker, in Beadon's Alley, or of the Subscriber on Wadmelaw Island. ANNE NORTON.

JUST ARRIVED from Liverpool, *and to be sold on* SIMMONS's *wharf, at store* NUMBER 1.

By JOHN BREWTON,

SAIL CLOTH from No. 1 to 6, loaf sugar, earthen ware, Liverpool beer, 4d. 6d. 8d. 10d. and 20d. nails, 3-4th, 7-8th and yard wide Irish linens, white and brown sheeting linen, huckaback, diaper, drogheda, and a few pieces of British oznabrugs, which he will dispose of at EIGHT and a HALF for ONE, CASH.

At STOTT's
MANCHESTER WARE-HOUSE,

IN BEADON's-ALLEY,

Just imported in the Brigantine Molly, *Captain* Brown, *from* LIVERPOOL;

A Handsome assortment of the newest fashioned striped morocens and Damascuses for waistcoats, at 20s. and 30s. per yard, plain, garded and flowered dimities, ribbons of the newest fashion, by the piece, black and coloured jennetts, white fringed quilted covers for ladies toilets, a fresh assortment of checks and stripes of all kinds; which being bought from the manufacturers, will be sold remarkably cheap for CASH.

N. B. A small assortment of basket and death head buttons, silk and twist, colours black, blue, green, crimson and scarlet; knee garters from £.3 to £.5 per dozen, they are to be sold together, any one purchasing them, may depend upon an advantageous bargain.

TO BE SOLD CHEAP by the SUBSCRIBER,

A TRACT of 700 acres of land, very suitable for corn, rice and indico, situate at the Ewhaw, Indian Land, on a branch of Broad River; it has thereon a good two story house, kitchen, wash-house, barn, stable, and every convenient out-building; the said land also has on it a large quantity of white and red oak timber, which will afford a vast quantity of bark, and very contiguous to a landing, where a boat of 150 barrels may load at. Whoever is inclinable to purchase the said tract, may apply to either Col. *Daniel Heyward*, at the Ewhaw, Indian Land, or to Mr. *Thomas Rivers*, in Charles-Town, or at the River of May, to JOHN SEALY.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

In the COMMONS HOUSE *of* ASSEMBLY, *the 23d Day of March*, 1768.

ORDERED,

THAT Public Notice be again given in the Gazettes, to the Constables who have, or may have any Demands against the Public of this Province, for conveying Malefactors to Goal, that they do deliver in, to the Public Treasurer, at the Time they apply for the Payment of their Fees for the said Service, a distinct and particular Account of their respective Demands, with the Number of computed Miles the said Constables may respectively travel in taking and bringing to Goal such Malefactors, and such Charges as they may be at for the said Service, certified by the Magistrates by whom the Prisoners were committed.

By Order of the House,

THOMAS FARR, jun. Clerk.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of land, containing 300 acres, lying at Stono, in St. Paul's parish, having land of Mr. Mellichamp to the north, and land of Roger Pinckney, Esq; to the east, and of Mr. Thomas Farr near the west, being within 4 miles of two landings, and about 23 miles from Charles-Town: On which is a large quantity of exceeding fine timber for sawing or other use. Any person inclining to purchase the same, may apply to Mr. Joseph Smith, at Stono, Mr. Elias Vanderhorst, Merchant, in Charles-Town, or the subscriber on Daniel's Island, and be informed of the conditions. WOOD FURMAN.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber, about three months ago, a negro fellow named PRIMUS, branded on the buttock G H; a short thick fellow, about five feet seven inches high, of a yellowish cast, and bushy head; had on when he went away, a blue jacket and white robin, bound round with red. Whoever takes him up, and delivers him to the subscriber, or to the warden of the work-house, shall receive Forty Shillings reward, and all reasonable charges. JOHN HOGG.

STRAYED from my plantation, a likely bay horse, with a short thin black mane, full buttock, a stooping carriage, paces easy, great spirit, and has a remarkable white spot on his breast. Also a flea-bitten gray, with a short dock, wall eyes, and has a heavy gate, branded a on G H the shoulder, and I P on the buttock; they were seen lately near Mr. Peter Mouzon's at Santee. FIVE POUNDS reward for each, will be paid on their being delivered to me in St. Thomas's parish. JOHN MOORE.

Who has some BRICKS to sell at his landing.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber sometime in April last, a mullatto wench named DIDO, she lately belonged to Mr. John Nowell, and formerly the property of Mr. Bolton's estate; she is supposed to be harboured in or about Charles-Town, where she has a mother, and is well acquainted.

Likewise, much about the same time, went away from my plantation, two fellows, named PETER and JOE, and a wench named BECK: *Peter* is a short well made fellow, very artful and cunning, had one of his ears cropped when the property of Mr. Rantowle, from whom he was bought; when he ran-away the last time, he was kept out at the plantations at or near Parker's ferry, by negroes that formerly belonged to Mr. Rantowle: *Joe* is a tall likely fellow, very palavering and artful, was purchased at Mr. Mayrant's vendue; *Beck* his wife, is a short thick wench, likewise bought at Mr. Mayrant's sale, they were both seen going sometime since to Santee, where they are supposed to be harboured. Any person apprehending and delivering the said run-aways to the warden of the work-house or to my overseer, shall have a PISTOLE reward for each; and any person giving information of their being harboured, if by a white person, shall receive TWENTY POUNDS reward for each, and if by a negro, TEN POUNDS each, upon conviction of the offenders.

WILLIAM CATTELL.

THE Subscriber having a larger body of LAND on the river Savannah, than he ever can cultivate, will dispose of FIVE HUNDRED ACRES on the said river in South-Carolina, all tide-swamp, except a few hills for settlements; being part of what was formerly owned by Mr. Champernown Williamson, and joining lands of John Rutledge, Esq; it needs no other recommendation than to be viewed by any person inclining to purchase.

What makes this tract more valuable is that a Causeway might be made out to the high land. Enquire of

WILLIAM WILLIAMSON.

St. Thomas's, June 13, 1768.

BROUGHT to me by Thomas Martin Sanders, a brown bay trotting mare, with a star in her forehead, 12 *and an half hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder like an* O *and a fleur de luce above, and on the mounting buttock* oD, *and on the off buttock* H, *several saddle spots on her back, and spotted about the rump. The property of the owner to be proved before*

ROBERT JOHNSTON, J. P.

THE Subscriber intending to decline Shoemaking, will sell two or three Negro Shoemakers; they have done all my business for nine Years past, and are at least equal to any Negroes of the Trade in this Province, the eldest of them only 22 Years old. All Persons indebted to him for Boots, Shoes, &c. are desired to discharge the same immediately; he hopes his Country Friends will pay due regard to this, as he cannot conveniently apply any other way to them. JOHN MATTHEWS.

BALL's ALMANACKS for the Year 1768, to be sold by the Printer.

JUST IMPORTED in Captain Schermerhorn, *from New-York, and to be sold by* CHARLES CROUCH, *in Elliott-street,* EDWARD JOYCE's *famous Great* American BALSAM, *made in* Long-Island, *superior by Trial, for its Use and Efficacy, to any imported from* Europe.

IT cures all Manner of Wounds, if curable; the most inveterate Ulcers and Fistulas, by injecting into the Canals and Sinews of Ulcers and Fistulas afore-mentioned. In Wounds, you cure by dipping a Pledget of Lint in the Balsam, and bind up the Wound, uniting the Lips of the Wound as Conveniency offers, renewing once a Day, till cured.

It scatters all Manner of Swellings, that are fit to be scattered; but Abcess, and such under that Denomination, are often called Biles, must come to Supperation when it is drawn, and the corrupted Matter taken off it, quickly heals.

For a Cold, attended with violent Coughing, Inflamation of the Glands, Hoarseness, and excessive Force for Respiration, Pains in the Breast, and even the strongest Pleuratick Symptoms, it gives immediate Ease, by taking in the Morning fasting, a Tea Spoonful of the Balsam, with two or three Tea Spoonfuls of Honey, or for Want of Honey, Sugar.

For violent Falls whereby the internal Parts may be hurt, and a Rexis of the Vessels, that often bring on a Bleeding at Mouth, Nose, &c. it stops the Blood, and scatters the congulated Blood, and makes it more fluid to pass away.

In Sprains of the Limbs, Contractions of the Ligaments, Tendons, by anointing with the Balsam before a Fire, it supples and relaxes them to their natural Functions.

Pains in the Joints in the upper and lower Limbs, by the same Method, it takes away by a few Applications.

Even in the Gout and Rheumatism it gives immediate Ease, but I don't say it is an infallible Cure.

N. B. It cures Consumptions that are not of long standing, if the Patient is within the Age of Forty Years, by taking a Tea Spoonful of the Balsam, Morning and Night, drinking half a Pint of warm fresh Broth after each Dose, during the Term of Forty Days.

☞ It has cured a Number of People in New-York, whose Names are affixed to the Directions, and a Bottle of it having been brought into this Province the latter End of last Winter, it cured several Persons of violent Coughs, &c. which were of a long standing.

STRAYED from the plantation of Charles Cantey, Esq; in St. Stephen's parish, Santee, two horses: One an iron gray, about 14 and one fourth hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder S9, and paces about 5 miles an hour: The other is a brown bay, about 13 and an half hands high, branded on the off shoulder W, and has a few saddle spots, both of them has lately been galled on their breasts. Whoever will deliver them at the said plantation, or to Mr. Anthony Simons at Monk's Corner, or to me in Dorchester, shall have FIVE POUNDS currency reward for each, and all reasonable charges paid. RICHARD WALTER.

STRAYED from my plantation at the Horse-Shoe, the beginning of May, a pair of sorrel or chesnut horses, very much alike, only one carries himself closer behind than the other, they are long sided, has silver manes and tails, lately trimmed, a white mark in their forehead, commonly called a star, but of a semicircular form, branded on the mounting shoulder ⌐ and on the buttock 8, between four I, and five years old, not very tall, they were bred in the Catawba nation, by Thomas Spratt. FIVE POUNDS reward will be given for each delivered to

RAWLINS LOWNDES.

St. Thomas's, June 7, 1768.

BROUGHT to me by Mr. PETER BOCHET, a black trotting gelding, about 13 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder thus: on the mounting buttock thus: ●●●, and on the off shoulder MB in one, his two hind feet white, appears to be about 9 years old. The property of the owner to be proved before ROBERT JOHNSTON, J. P.

St. Thomas's, June 16, 1768.

BROUGHT to me by Thomas Ahin, the following strayed geldings, which came together, into his pasture, viz.

A well made flea-bitten gray, upwards of 14 *hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder* 4, *very strong, and supposed to be about* 7 *years old, trots pretty well and free.*

An old bright bay, about 13 *hands three inches, branded on the mounting shoulder* 4, *cwo neck, blazed face, gray about the flanks and tail, very free and trots.*

A white flea-bitten, with a bell fastened with a stirrup-leather, about 13 *hands and an inch, branded on the mounting buttock* PG *in one, a bow mane, 6 or 7 years old, trots, but inclines more to canter. The property of the owner to be proved before*

ROBERT JOHNSTON, J. P.

Charles-Town, June 6, 1768.

STRAYED into the plantation of *John Stevenson*, on Webb's-creek, a dark gray horse, about fourteen and an half hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder and buttock IO, the latter not plain, and something like I in one, on the off shoulder.

Also a gray gelding, twelve hands and an half high, branded on the off buttock thus GV. The owners of the above strays, must prove their property before

JOHN REMINGTON, J. P.

Charles-Town, June 3, 1768.

STRAYED into the plantation of the widow ELLIOTT, upon the neck, about seven miles from Charles-Town, a white gelding 13 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder I G, is full aged and a trotter; upon the information of BRYAN DAUGHTRY, the overseer. Any person claiming the said stray, must prove their property before

FENWICKE BULL, J. P.

TO BE LET, and may be entered upon the 21st of August next;

THE Brick Tenement in Elliott-Street, where Mrs. Broughton now lives. Enquire of Messrs. GRIFFITH & CAPE, or JHN HUGER.

Charles-Town, June 17, 1768.

Seized for QUIT-RENTS due to his Majesty,

TWO NEGROES, and to be sold at public Outcry, for READY MONEY, at the usual place in Charles-Town, at 12 o'Clock on Monday the 11th of July. By Order of GEORGE SAXBY, Esq; his Majesty's Receiver-General.

It is required of Stewards that they be found faithful; and is that enough? NO! For if they stop there, they are but unprofitable Stewards, having done no more than was their Duty to do.—What further is to be done? Let your Light so shine before Men that they may see your good Works, and glorify our Father, which is in Heaven.—— To such Conduct there is a Reward annexed; i. e. Whose turneth many to Righteousness, shall shine as the Stars in Heaven, for ever and ever.

WITH these Views Mr. STRATON will add some Hints, after his Lectures for the Month of July 1768, (on ARITHMETIC, GEOMETRY and ARCHITECTURE) concerning the most likely Method to lead a sensible and an happy Life; the Road that some weary themselves in a vain Search after, that will I, with God's Help, plainly lay open before you, and shew not only why ye vainly weary yourselves; because ye search amiss: But also how to search aright, *i. e.* so to ask that ye may obtain, so to seek that you may find. The Lectures for July to begin on Saturday the second, and to be continued the succeeding Thursdays and Saturdays, precisely at Four in the Afternoon. Tickets for that Month to be had of the Printer, and the Subscriber. O. STRATON.

From the British Academy on the Green, June 23, 1768.

THE subscriber intreats all persons indebted to him, either by bonds, notes, or book debt, to settle the same to his satisfaction on or before the first day of September next; as also the outstanding debts due on the books of William Cartner, of Ashley-ferry, as he is invested with a proper power to receive the same, otherwise, he will be under the disagreeable necessity of putting them in suit. And as it is not in his power to make personal application to his country friends and customers, he hopes they will pay due regard to this, being the last notice.

CHRISTOPHER SIMPSON.

N.B. Corn, pease, and rough rice, to be sold in hogsheads and barrels as above.

Charles-Town, May 28, 1768.

THE Subscribers having been lately appointed Assignees of the Estate, Debts and Effects, of Messrs. *Benfield & Jones*, in Trust for *John Nutt*, Esq; of *London*, and other their Creditors, hereby give PUBLIC NOTICE, that unless the said Creditors shall deliver to us, or either of us, an exact Account upon Oath, of the several Debts and Demands to them owing, on or before the 16th Day of January 1769, they will be excluded from receiving any Benefit of a Dividend in the said trust Concern. And all Persons indebted to the said *Benfield & Jones*, who neglect paying their respective Debts to the Assignees, may expect to be sued without further Notice.

BENJAMIN SMITH,
CHARLES PINCKNEY.

TO BE SOLD at public vendue on Tuesday, the 19th July next, at the plantation of the late JOHN SKENE, *Esq; near Dorchester;*

ALL his personal estate, consisting of several valuable SLAVES, horses, cattle, sheep, goats, hogs, houshold furniture, &c. The sale to begin at ten o'clock, and the conditions will then be made known.

WILLIAM WRAGG, Executor.

ALL Persons indebted to MILES BRAWTON, Esq; to Messrs. HOOPER & SWALLOW, and to the Estate of EBERHART FANEY, deceased, are desired to accept this as Notice, that I have Directions from the Concerned, to put in Suit all Debts that are not very soon discharged.

CHARLES PINCKNEY.

TO BE SOLD at public outcry, at the house of Mr. Legge, at Ashley-ferry, on Thursday the twenty-first day of July next;

ALL the personal estate of THOMAS ELLIOTT, deceased, consisting of a parcel of choice NEGROES, among whom is a very valuable house wench; a flock of sheep, cattle and horses, houshold furniture, plantation tools, and a parcel of carpenters tools. The conditions will be made known on the day of sale. All persons indebted to the deceased, are desired to make immediate payment, and those to whom the said deceased is indebted, are desired to bring in their demands, properly attested, by the day of sale.

FRANCIS ROSE, Executor.

THE Subscriber having good Accommodations for Boarders, would be glad of the Custom of her Country Friends, who may depend on being faithfully served, and meeting with the genteelest Treatment.

The BARBER's BUSINESS is carried on as usual, and would be obliged to those who choose to favour her with their Custom. ELIZABETH BUTLER.

TO BE SOLD,

THE House and Lot adjoining the subscriber on White-Point, wherein Mr. John Fullerton has for some time lived, but will soon remove. The lot measures 33 feet in front, and about 100 in depth. The house is but small, and therefore suitable for a small family only. Its situation will always be very pleasant in the summer season.

JOSIAH SMITH, jun.

STOLEN from the subscriber in Dorchester, the 4th inst. a sorrel horse, about fourteen and an half hands high, with a blaze in his forehead, brand unknown, carries his tail on one side, paces and trots, but seldom trots in the bridle unless he is led. FIVE POUNDS reward will be given to any person that will deliver him to me at the place above, or to Mr. Thomas Waring, in Charles-Town.

June 27, 1768. SAMUEL HAMLIN.

WANTED on Hire, by the Month, Quarter, or Year, a good COOK, who can be well recommended for his or her Honesty. Apply to the Printer.

ALL persons having any demands against the estate of BENJAMIN BACKHOUSE, or CATHARINE BACKHOUSE, deceased, are requested, for the last time, to bring them in properly attested, on or before the first day of September next, or they will be excluded from any dividends of the said estate; and all those indebted thereto, that do not pay by that time, must not expect any longer indulgence.

THOMAS ELFE,
Administrator to the estate of Benjamin Backhouse, and Executor to Catharine Backhouse.

LOST on Thursday the 9th of June instant, a Morocco Leather POCKET BOOK, in which were sundry papers of consequence, to the owner only. Whoever can give information so as the owner may recover it again, shall receive a GUINEA reward, by applying to Wilson, Coram, & Co. or at Tuke's tavern on the Bay.

WANTED immediately, upon Interest,

ABOUT THREE THOUSAND POUNDS Currency, for which approved Security will be given. For Particulars, enquire of CHARLES CROUCH.

STRAYED or stolen from the subscriber in Dorchester, the 13th instant, a brown gelding, about fourteen hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder AS, has a blaze in his forehead, and one white hind foot, but cannot recollect which. Whoever delivers the said gelding to me as above, or to Messrs. George Smith, or Thomas Waring, in Charles-Town, shall have Five Pounds reward.

ARCHAR SMITH.

RUN-AWAY, the 16th of June inst. from Mr. Thomas Gadsden (who had that day bought him at vendue from Mr. Robert Wells) a black fellow, named JAMES, six feet and one inch high, well made, a little wall eyed, and formerly belonged to Mr. John Glover, who was shot on Broad-River, and since to Mr. Kershaw, at the Pine Tree; and as he can read and write, he may possibly forge his own pass; he had on a short blue jacket when he was bought. Any person that will deliver him to me in George-Town, or to the warden of the work-house in Charles-Town, shall receive Ten Pounds reward, with all reasonable charges, from Mr. Thomas Gadsden, in Charles-Town, or etc. THOMAS GODFREY.

I AM informed by Philemon Waters, of a bay gelding, about 14 hands high, with a blaze, or bald face, a brown spot, about the size of an English shilling, in the middle of the blaze, branded on the off buttock AC, one hind and fore foot white, paces a travel, strayed into the plantation on Charles-Town Neck, rented by him of White Outerbridge, Esq. The owner may prove his property before

June 20, 1768. WILLIAM MASON, J.P.

TAKEN up in Cooper-river, a red painted canoe, about 15 feet long, and three wide, rows with four oars, branded in the head and stern like WF in one, she has a small grapnal. Whoever owns the said canoe, may have her, by applying to Joseph Brenar, at Isaac Huger, Esq'rs, plantation at Wando.

RAN-AWAY from Sampson Neyle's plantation at Santee, a negro man, named WILL, bought at the sale of Samuel Winborn's estate, and formerly belonged to John Bassnet: He is of the Guinea country, about 40 years of age, and 5 feet 9 inches high; had on a black coat, and an old blue jacket. Five Pounds reward will be given to whoever takes and delivers him to Thomas Pacey, at said plantation, to Mr. David Deas, or to the warden of the work-house, in Charles-Town. 6 w.

TO BE SOLD for no fault, the owner having no employment for them, two exceeding good Boatmen. Apply to ISAAC HARLESTON.

TO BE SOLD for Cash, or Credit, as may best suit the Purchaser,

A YOUNG Negro Wench, about nineteen Years of Age, who is a good Washer and Ironer. Enquire of THOMAS YOU.

TO BE LET,

THE front STORE and CELLAR, in the House I now live in. Apply to CHARLES CROUCH.

For SALE, a Parcel of Earthen WARE, and a CHIMNEY STOVE, at Mr. *St. Pierre's*, at Amen Corner.

TO BE SOLD by public Outcry, at the House of the late William Hall, deceased, in Meeting-street, Charles-Town, on Wednesday the 15th of July next, the Sale to begin at ten o'Clock in the Forenoon;

PART of the personal Estate of the said Deceased, consisting of sundry very valuable SLAVES, viz. Six House-Carpenters, one Fisherman, one Labourer, and three Wenches, two that can cook, wash and iron very well, the other as good a Seamstress as most in the Province; also sundry Pieces of Houshold Furniture. All Sums under Twenty Pounds the Cash must be paid down, for all above, Credit will be given to the first of January, 1769, giving approved Security, to SUSANNA HALL, Executrix.
GEORGE SHEED, Executor.

Just published in Pamphlets, and to be sold by CHARLES CROUCH, *at his Printing-Office in* Elliott-Street, *the Corner of* Gadsden's Alley;

THE FARMER's LETTERS to the Inhabitants of the BRITISH COLONIES.—— Also, a few of the great FOTHERGILL's DISCOURSES, &c.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

JOHN HOLOWELL, of the province aforesaid, who is in custody of the Provost-Marshal, by virtue of five several writs of *Capias ad Respondendum*, viz. one at the suit of *Thomas Elfe*, one at the suit of *Melcher Werley*, one at the suit of *Samuel Prioleau, jun. & Co.* one at the suit of *Gabriel Manigault*, and one at the suit of *George Noddings*; having petitioned the honourable the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted to the benefit of the act made for the relief of insolvent debtors: IT IS ORDERED, that the said *Thomas Elfe, Melcher Werley, Samuel Prioleau, jun. & Co. Gabriel Manigault, George Noddings*, and all others to whom the said petitioner is anywise indebted, be, and they are hereby summoned, and have notice, to appear at the usual place of judicature, at the first sitting of the Court of Common Pleas, or General Sessions, which shall happen three months after the publication hereof, to shew cause, if any they can, why the said petitioner should not have the prayer of his petition granted.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.

Pleas-Office, April 5, 1768.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

JOHN GOOD, of the province aforesaid, who is in custody of the Provost-Marshal, by virtue of three several writs of *Capias ad Respondendum*, viz. one at the suit of *Robert Neilson*, one at the suit of *John Clunie* and *Charles Browne*, and the other at the suit of *John Ward* and *Peter Leger*, having petitioned the honourable the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted to the benefit of the act made for the relief of insolvent debtors: IT IS ORDERED, that the said *Robert Neilson, John Clunie* and *Charles Browne, John Ward* and *Peter Leger*, and all others to whom the said petitioner is anywise indebted, be, and they are hereby summoned, and have notice, to appear at the usual place of judicature, at the first sitting of the Court of Common Pleas, or General Sessions, which shall happen three months after the publication hereof, to shew cause, if any they can, why the said petitioner should not have the prayer of his petition granted.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.

Pleas-Office, May 2, 1768.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

JOHN MARSHALL, of the province aforesaid, who is in custody of the Provost-Marshal, upon *Mesne Process*, at the suit of *Conrad Bott*, having petitioned the honourable the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted to the benefit of the act made for the relief of insolvent debtors: IT IS ORDERED, that the said *Conrad Bott*, and all others to whom the said petitioner is anywise indebted, be, and they are hereby summoned, and have notice, to appear at the usual place of Judicature, at the first sitting of the Court of Common Pleas, or General Sessions, which shall happen three months after the publication hereof, to shew cause, if any they can, why the said petitioner should not have the prayer of his petition granted.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.

Pleas-Office, June 7, 1767.

BROUGHT TO THE WORK-HOUSE.

July 22, 1767. A new negro fellow, calls himself *Belfoff*, and says his master's name is *Bobby*; he is about five feet six inches high, full faced, and has the mark of a shot on his left thigh, which he said was done by his master; has on an old white negro cloth jacket and yellow breeches; and was taken up at Mr. Ball's plantation, Silk-Hope.

September 30. A negro wench of the Angola country, who calls herself JENNY, but can't tell her master's name; she is a short wench, of a yellow complexion, with very small breasts; she has on an old white negro cloth wrapper and petticoat. Taken up at Mr. Waring's plantation at Beech-Hill.

December 6. A negro fellow of the Angola country, calls himself *Jeffry*, says his old master's name was *John Williams*, and died in Georgia, but the rest of the negroes being seized, he run-away to go to his young master in North-Carolina, whose name is *William Williams*; he is four feet eleven inches high, full faced, about 40 years of age, and has on an old camblet jacket and black everlasting breeches. Taken up at Cuckhold's creek, Combahee.

June 6, 1768. A negro fellow, Bermuda born, calls himself JEMMY, says he belonged to Jonathan Bryan, but was sold to William Lyford, of Savannah, pilot, but not liking him, was coming to Charles-Town to look for a master; he is five feet seven inches high, of a yellowish complexion, pitted with the small-pox, and carries the marks of an old offender; he has on a blue great coat, striped jacket, white shirt, and nankeen breeches. Taken up at Arthur Middleton, Esq'r's, Plantation near Dorchester.

July 1. A negro fellow of the Mondingo country, calls himself *Quash*, but cannot tell his master's name, he is 5 feet 7 inches high, strait limbed, of a black complexion, a small beard, with his country marks on each side of his face, thus))) ; had on an old white negro cloth jacket. Taken up near John Drayton, Esquire's plantation, Ashley-river.

St. Thomas's, June 15, 1768.

BROUGHT to me by John George Brindley, the following strays, viz.

A mouse coloured gelding, 13 and an half hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder PD, *on the off shoulder with a spur, and a large brand on the off cheek something like* O, *a white face, both off feet white, and the inner side of his near fore foot, a black list on his rump, appears to be used to a draught by his breast being rubbed, and is very dull.*

A large brown bay gelding, 14 and an half hands, branded on the mounting shoulder LS, *the off shoulder the same, but upside down, the mounting buttock* 3M, *and on the off buttock a large obscure brand, a snip on one side his face, black list and legs, with a short tail, his breast rubbed, and is very backward to go from a house.*

A gray or white flea-bitten mare, 13 hands, branded on the off shoulder and buttock AH *in one, the mark of a fistfast on the mounting side, they all are trotters, and have been several months about Cooper-River. The property of the owners to be proved before*

ROBERT JOHNSTON, J. P.

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